

CITY BULLETIN.

THE MORTALITY OF 1887.—The following official statement of the mortality of the city during the year 1887, is furnished by Mr. Geo. E. Chambers, Registrar of Births, Marriages and Deaths. The deaths in each month, compared with 1886, were as follows:

Table showing mortality statistics for 1887 compared to 1886, categorized by month and sex.

Decrease in 1887. The following is a statement of the number of male and female, and boys and girls, who died in each month during the year:

Table showing the number of deaths in each month during the year 1887, categorized by sex.

WHAT WE HAVE TO EAT.—The following statement of the stock of breadstuffs in Philadelphia, which has been carefully compiled for the Commercial List and Price Current, shows that the supply on hand is less than at this period for ten years past.

Table showing the stock of wheat in the hands of millers in Philadelphia, categorized by month.

PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET, Dec. 30, 1887.—Beef cattle were in good demand this week, but prices were without any material change.

LARCENY OF A HORSE.—John Burns was arrested on Saturday night by Reserving Officer Kendrick upon the charge of having stolen a horse belonging to his brother Peter Burns.

THE SOLDIERS' CONVENTION.—The Pennsylvania Railroad, the Reading Railroad and the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad will sell excursion tickets all along their respective routes, good from the 1st to the 15th of January, 1888.

NEW HALL.—The Young Mannerer hall on Cherry street, above Fifth, and lately fitted up in elegant style for the meetings and rehearsals of the Society.

SERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.—On Saturday night, about twelve o'clock, two men went into a lager beer saloon, on Front street, above York, and after drinking, got into a difficulty with the proprietor.

SHOPLIFTERS ARRESTED.—Two men were arrested this morning by John Lamon, Chief of the detectives, for being shoplifters.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.—An elderly lady belonging to Baltimore, who had been on a visit to this city, started for the depot to return home on Saturday night.

RECOVERING STOLEN GOODS.—Samuel Laddor, No. 318 Brown street, was arrested on Saturday and taken before Ald. Hurley, upon the charge of recovering stolen goods.

ASSAULT WITH A BLACK-JACK.—Samuel McNamee and J. P. Finney were before Alderman Massey yesterday upon the charge of assault and battery upon James Samsdeller.

CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.—Edward Donnelly, alias Pidgeon, was arrested last night upon the charge of having been concerned in the robbery of the clothing store of John Manderson, No. 714 North Second street.

STABLE BURNED.—A frame stable on Percy street, above Poplar, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning about three o'clock.

ROBBERY A CANAL BOAT.—A colored man named Abraham Jones was committed yesterday by Ald. Tolson, for the larceny of rope, lines, &c., from a canal boat lying at Coates street wharf, on the Delaware.

CITY NOTICES.—Some are born great and some have greatness thrust upon them. The following do not thrust their titles upon us, but help us to help them.

FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS.—All the varieties of Fine Furs, Oakford's, 324 and 336 Chestnut street.

VERY FINE OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA COFFEE.—Mironzell & Fletchman, 1204 Chestnut street.

HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR GENTLEMEN.—The most popular things for presents to gentlemen will be found at Mr. George Grant's Gentlemen's Furnishing establishment.

WHITE GRAPES, WHITE GRAPES.—By the wholesale or single pound. Mironzell & Fletchman, 1204 Chestnut street.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER AND PLATED WARE.—Reduced Prices. AMERICAN AND SWISS WATCHES AND MOVEMENTS.

JOHN M. HARPER, 520 ARCH STREET. HIGHEST PREMIUM AWARDED FOR BLANK BOOKS.

WM. F. MURPHY'S SONS, 339 Chestnut Street. CURTAIN MATERIALS. BARGAINS IN LAOE CURTAINS.

C. M. STOUT & CO., 1106 Chestnut Street. GIRARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, NEW OFFICE, 639 N. E. cor. Chestnut and Seventh sts.

ALL OF WHICH IS SAFELY INVESTED IN REAL ESTATE, BONDS AND MORTGAGES, GOVERNMENT LOANS AND OTHER GOOD SECURITIES.

JAY COOKE & CO., 112 and 114 So. THIRD ST. PHILAD'A. Dealers in all Government Securities.

ISAAC B. EVANS, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN OILS, PAINTS, VARNISHES, AND Naval Stores and Seeps.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA. HARRISBURG, Dec. 18, 1887.

NOTICE TO THE HOLDERS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, DUE JULY 1st, 1888.

LOANS. WILL BE REDEEMED WITH INTEREST TO DATE OF PAYMENT ON PRESENTATION AT THE NATIONAL BANK OF PHILADELPHIA.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK OF PHILADELPHIA.

INTEREST ON THE ABOVE LOANS WILL CEASE ON THE 1st OF JULY, 1888.

FRANCIS JORDAN, Sec'y of State. JOHN F. HARRINGTON, Aud. Gen.

W. H. KEMBLE, State Treas. Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

BANKING HOUSE OF JAY COOKE & CO., 112 and 114 So. THIRD ST. PHILAD'A.

Dealers in all Government Securities. Pemberton and Hightstown R. R. Co.

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Old Rye Whiskies. THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF FINE OLD RYE WHISKIES IN THE LAND IS NOW POSSESSED BY HENRY S. HANNIS & CO., 218 and 220 SOUTH FRONT STREET.

HOLIDAY GOODS. J. E. CALDWELL & CO. Are Now Ready WITH THEIR ENTIRE IMPORTATION OF NEW YEAR'S GOODS.

USEFUL PRESENTS AT Very Low Prices. Fine Embroidered Piano Covers, Fine Embroidered Lace Curtains, Fine Marcelline Quilts, Fine Premium and Medal Blankets, Fine Dbl. Damask Table Cloths, Napkins to match, at Reduced Prices, Fine Fringed and Bor'd Damask Towels, Fine Hemstitched and Emb'd Hdks., Fine French Corded Border ditto.

R. & G. A. WRIGHT, No. 624 Chestnut Street. Have just received a large assortment of new and elegant FANCY ARTICLES, NOVELTY AND BEAUTY, ESPECIALLY FOR NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

JAMES E. CALDWELL & CO., NO. 622 CHESTNUT STREET. HOLIDAY PRESENTS FOR GENTLEMEN.

WRAPPERS, SCARF RINGS, BREAKFAST JACKETS, SCARFS, CARDIGAN DO., GLOVES, MUFFLERS, SLEEVE BUTTONS, CRAVATS, HANDKERCHIEFS, Under Garments for Gentlemen. J. W. SCOTT & CO., 814 Chestnut Street.

1867. HOLIDAYS. 1868. WRAPPERS, BREAKFAST JACKETS, SCARFS, SKATING JACKETS, SKATING BELTS, SLEEVE BUTTONS, SCARF RINGS, GLOVES.

JOHN C. ARRISON, Nos. 1 and 3 N. Sixth St., Philada. Gentlemen's Wrappers, Scarfs, Ties, Mufflers, Gloves, Hdks., etc., etc., etc.

J. C. BARNES & CO. GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. MANUFACTURERS OF Fine Shirts, Collars, Wrappers, &c. Suitable for New Year's Presents. NO. 245 N. NINTH ST. PHILADELPHIA.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS. Gold Spectacles, Opera Glasses, Wheel of Life, Lanterns, Microscopes, MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS, &c. JAMES W. QUEEN & CO., 924 CHESTNUT STREET.

THE LATEST STYLES IN CUSTOM-MADE BOOTS AND SHOES For Gentlemen and Boys. NEW BOX TOES, THE SKATING BOOT. BARTLETT, 33 South Sixth Street, above Chestnut.

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PARTRIDGE'S NEW STYLE ICE CREAM FORMS. SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO WEDDINGS AND OTHER PARTIES. No. 15 North Eighth Street.

STEPHEN F. WHITMAN'S CONFECTIONS NOW READY For New Year Gifts, At No. 1210 Market Street.

PARTRIDGE'S ICE CREAM, CONFECTIONERY AND DINING ROOMS, For Ladies and Gentlemen, No. 15 N. Eighth Street, Philadelphia.

NEW CURES BY HOFF'S MALT EXTRACT AND BEVERAGE OF HEALTH. May 20, W. S. Brown, Esq., Glen, Cass county, from HEMORRHOIDS OF THE LUNGS.

WANTED. A YOUNG GERMAN, TWENTY FOUR YEARS OF AGE, of the highest responsibility, speaking and writing fluently French and English, and having had several years experience in a European counting house, is willing to make himself generally useful. Address "Globe," care of the Bulletin.

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